

What Goes On . . .

Monday, May 2, 7:30 p.m. Recycling Advisory Committee, Aquatic & Fitness Center
8 p.m. Council Worksession on Police Budget, Municipal Building
Tues., May 3, 7:30 p.m. Council Worksession on Green Ridge House Budget, Green Ridge House
Wed., May 4, 7 p.m. Crime

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Path to Serve Handicapped Will Be Built at the Lake

by Diane Oberg

A new path will be created at Buddy Attick Park following a 4-1 vote at the April 11 regular meeting of the Greenbelt City Council. The trail will provide handicapped access to the portable restrooms at the park, as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Construction of the path was proposed by the city's Americans with Disabilities Task Force. It would run from the parking lot through the playground to the portable restrooms. According to the manufacturer, the recommended "Fibar" surface provides a sufficiently firm surface for wheelchair use, even after heavy rain. The material would be contained within edging boards and look similar to a wood chip path.

The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB) had "reluctantly" recommended approval. One major concern was that the path was not included in the lake park master plan. The plan was finally adopted in 1992 after at least 25 years of off and on debate. The members were concerned that this path would set a precedent for "piecemeal exceptions" to the master plan. PRAB's preferred solution was that the permanent restrooms provided for in the plan be constructed as soon as possible.

PRAB was also concerned that the path only provides access between the parking lot and the restrooms. While this meets the January 1996 ADA requirements, it does not make the park itself accessible, PRAB notes. Chair Lola Skolnik doubted that people go to the park to go to the portable restrooms.

Limitations

Acknowledging that she was one of the two members to vote against the PRAB recommendation, Skolnik emphasized some of the additional limitations of the proposed path. Not all disabled people are in wheelchairs, she said; people with limited mobility would have difficulty using such a long path. Skolnik argued that the major problem was the location of the restrooms. In addition, she questioned the suitability of the Fibar surface, citing a state park that she said would be removing their Fibar.

City Manager Daniel Hobbs offered to consider other options, but so far, he said, he had not heard a solution that works better than the current proposal. While permanent restrooms may

be preferable, they would cost roughly \$160,000. Relocating the restrooms is also difficult, since they must be out of the sun (to minimize odor) and accessible to the truck that pumps them out.

Public Works Director Carl Hirsch said that Skolnik's proposal to put them on the black-top surface near the recycling center is not workable. The structures would be in direct sun and would interfere with the pickup of the recycling containers. The proposal is also unsafe, Hirsch said. It would force wheelchair users to use the traffic lane, which is dangerous and not of an appropriate grade.

In voting to approve the path, council members made clear that they recognized the new path as a temporary solution. Mayor Antoinette Bram asked for a work session to discuss the issue in more detail. She voted against the path, she said, because there had not been adequate time to make an informed decision based upon the information provided.

General Government

One City Budget is Lower

by Diane Oberg

The only account in the proposed city budget for fiscal year 1995 for which expenditures are decreasing is general government. This account covers the costs of the city council and the city management including the city manager's office, finance and community promotion. The decrease is small and could disappear by the time the budget is approved.

The overall budget for this department is proposed to decrease by 0.1% to \$1.216 million. The total number of employees will remain nearly constant although the mix of employees will change slightly.

Part of the decrease is due to this not being a council election year. Election and registration expenses drop \$5,100 to just \$100 and some increases in the city council's expenses are offset by the fact that last year the city ordered two years' worth of council letterhead.

Overall the city council account is proposed to decrease by \$5,000. While there were many offsetting changes, the biggest change was the fact that Hobbs did not fund a council retreat. Last year's retreat cost \$5,000.

Finance and administrative services expenses are proposed to drop by \$6,000. This is largely the result of a change in the composition of the staff with the retirement of a senior staff member.

The community promotion and municipal building maintenance accounts are each proposed to

New Voter Cards Have Been Issued

The Board of Supervisors of Elections of Prince Georges County has mailed to the 301,696 registered voters in the County a new voter's information card. This card will contain the voter's polling place, election district and precinct and congressional, legislative, councilmanic and school board districts. The changes reflected on this card are a result of the 1990 reapportionment.

Any voter who has not received a voter's information card by April 25 should assume that he or she is not a registered voter in Prince Georges County. They should call the 24-hour voter registration hotline at (301) 627-2814 and request that a voter registration application be mailed to their home. Upon receipt of the completed application by the Board of Elections the individual will be registered.

Little League Schedule

(May 2 - 7)

All games at McDonald's Field
Mon., 6 p.m., Cards @ Lions
Tue., 6 p.m., O's @ Tigers
Wed., 6 p.m., A's @ Cubs
Thu., 6 p.m., Giants @ Indians
Fri., 6 p.m., Lion's @ O's
Fri., 7 p.m., Tigers @ Cubs
(Braden #2)
Sat., 10 a.m., Giants @ A's

Medevac Helicopter Flies Good Samaritan to Hospital

by David Morse

A Bladensburg auto mechanic whose thumb was cut off in a repair mishap was flown by Medevac helicopter to a hospital in Baltimore on Tuesday evening, April 19. The thumb was successfully reattached.

The incident began as a Good Samaritan gesture.

The victim, Scott Darby, 32, had just gotten off work. He noticed a man working on a pickup truck in the Co-op Supermarket parking lot and went over to help.

"I did a few system checks," said Darby. "I spun the electric fan to make sure it hadn't frozen up. My attention wandered for a second and my thumb snagged on the alternator belt and was thrown into the alternator pulley. It didn't cut it off so much as rip it off. I said, 'Oh, goddam, I cut my thumb off.'"

Darby said he felt little or no pain at first and surmised he was in shock. "I didn't do anything normally. I picked up my thumb and put it back on. Then I picked up my coffee. I wasn't thinking straight. . . . There was about half an inch of flesh holding it on. It was twisted around backward. I twisted it back into position." (It turned out that the bone, although severely fractured, had not actually been severed.)

Prince Georges County Fire Department paramedics arrived at the scene shortly after the accident, which Darby said took place at 7:30 p.m. They called for a Medevac helicopter because of the nature and seriousness of the injury.

Darby was transported to the Raymond M. Curtis Hand Center at Union Memorial Hospital in northern Baltimore city. The center specializes in treatment of hand injuries and reattachment of such limbs as fingers, toes, and arms, according to Patricia Fuller, an administrative coordinator there. She said that such reattachments are performed there every day. "We get people

. . . And More

Prevention Committee, Greenbelt Police Dept.
7:30 p.m. Council Budget Worksession on Contributions to organizations. Municipal Building
8 p.m. Advisory Planning Board, Police Station
Thurs., May 5, 7:30 p.m. GEAC Meeting, Windsor Green Community Center

flown in here from all over the East Coast" she said.

The flight took less than 15 minutes, said Darby.

Darby said that his thumb was reexamined on April 25 and is healing normally. He won't know, however, whether he will regain full use of the thumb until the healing process is complete, which should take another five weeks, he said.

(Richard O. Manico contributed to this report.)

Two Announce For GHI Board

Incumbent Don Comis and challenger Sherry Garten have announced their candidacies for the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board of Directors. The election of five members to the board will take place during the annual meeting of the 1600-member housing cooperative on May 22 and 23.

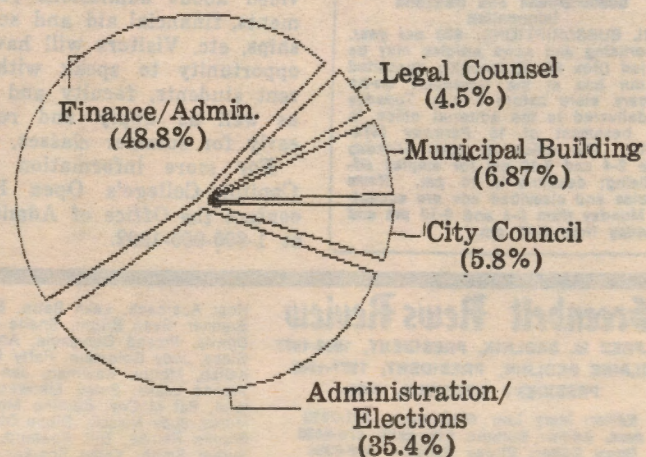
GEAC to Meet

The Greenbelt East Advisory Committee will hold its next meeting on Thursday, May 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the Windsor Green Community Center, 7474 Frankfort Drive. The meeting is open to the public. Anyone having questions can contact Tim Sechrist at 345-6861.

1994 GHI House And Garden Tour

The Greenbelt Homes, Inc. House and Garden Tour will be held on Sunday, May 1, from 12 to 5 p.m. The tour is self-guided. Maps will be distributed at the Greenbelt Museum. People can take a leisurely stroll through Greenbelt and see some of their neighbors' creativity! For more information, call Terri Rutledge at 982-3451.

General Government Expenditures Proposed FY 95 Budget



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Letters

Open Letter

Greenbelt City Council:

It has been brought to my attention that you have been planning to cut down the flowering pear trees in the Greenbelt Center Plaza, because they block the view of the statue. I feel I must protest strongly against this decision. The statue was not meant to be clearly visible. It looks much nicer, nestled among trees, than it would completely alone and visible from anywhere. The trees lend a sort of warmth to it, something which the statue would not have amidst all the stores.

The center of Greenbelt would no longer be green, without the trees. It would be just like any other place, with dull grey stone bordered by overwhelming commercial developments. I don't want that sort of picture in the middle of our pretty, colorful town!

Grace Haliburton

(Note: At the April 25 City Council meeting, Irene Hensel, who wrote a similar letter last week, brought this matter up under petitions and requests. She was advised that the city had no plans to take down the pear trees. City Manager Dan Hobbs noted that the "rumor" was the result of a News Review story about the city's applying for and obtaining a grant from the state to help pay the costs for a redesign of the center mall. There are no plans at present to do anything and any construction resulting from a new plan would be something down the road. Hobbs assured those at the meeting that no changes would be made to the center without citizens having an opportunity to review and comment upon the plans before city council approval.)

Help!

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Call 441-2662

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Service Exchange Considered by SCAC

The city's Senior Citizens Advisory Committee (SCAC) has launched an assessment project to determine whether or not Greenbelt as a whole would benefit from a service exchange/time-dollar bank.

An information and planning meeting is being convened on Saturday, June 4 from 10 a.m. to noon. It will be held in the multi-purpose room of the Youth Center, and the public is welcome.

SCAC members wish to support the implementation of such a program if there appears to be a real need for it. A wide spectrum of input will be critical to designing an arrangement that will work for Greenbelt.

Aware that many residents have needs met by both formal and informal arrangements with relatives, neighbors, church groups, or service organizations, the committee seeks to know how the "graying of Greenbelt" might increase the need for a community-wide pool of volunteers to improve the ability to respond. Letters have been sent to some 30 groups to ask for both advice and participation.

The service exchange concept (explained in Edgar Cahn's book "Time Dollars") is presently in existence in several area jurisdictions under the auspices of the Cooperative Caring Network. Basically, a pool of volunteers of all ages provides a variety of services (transportation, shopping, yard work, household chores) to those who request them, and each service provider receives a time credit which can be used to receive a service in return, banked for future use, or donated to an individual or group. Generally, the requests come from the elderly, housebound, or disabled, and a coordinator matches them with a trained volunteer.

The next regular meeting of the SCAC will be in the Morrison Lounge in the Youth Center at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 24. Anyone wishing to comment or offer assistance should call Karen Haseley, city staff liaison, at 474-6878 during the day, or committee vice-president Pat Unger at home during the evening at 474-1052.

Capitol College Hosts Evening Open House

Capitol College, an independent, four-year college in Laurel, will host an evening open house on Wednesday, May 4, between 5 and 8 p.m. The open house will feature tours of the Laurel campus and information about the college's degree programs in electrical engineering, electronics engineering technology, computers, telecommunications, and management.

Information will also be provided about admissions requirements, financial aid and scholarships, etc. Visitors will have the opportunity to speak with current students, faculty and staff, as well as apply and register early for summer classes.

For more information about Capitol College's Open House, contact the Office of Admissions at 1-800-950-1992.

Montpelier Spring Festival on May 1

The 24th Annual Montpelier Spring Festival will be held on Sunday, May 1 from noon to 6 p.m. at the Montpelier Mansion grounds, located on Route 197 and Montpelier Drive in South Laurel.

The Montpelier Spring Festival is a free cultural arts celebration consisting of four stages with continuous entertainment, a variety of food, more than 90 artists and craftspeople, music, dance, a children's parade, free facepainting, free pony rides, free balloons, community organization exhibits, displays of large vehicles, special attractions, clowns, and animal characters ready with a handshake or a hug.

Among the highlights of the festival will be a Polynesian Revue with the Hoaloa band, a performance by more than 50 members of the Rockville Concert Band, the Purple Dinosaur and Winger from the Washington Capitals, and line and country western dancing. Other features will be a free 60's slide bounce, 50s do-wop music by the Memories, reptiles and amphibians from the 30th Street Nature Center, a youth art competition, Striker from World Cup USA '94, popular music by the Volunteers of the U.S. Army Band and glimpses of India through dance.

The Eleanor Pernia Star Struck Competition Team, winner of five awards at a regional dance competition in Towson, will be performing May 1 at the Montpelier Festival. The team has previously performed at Greenbelt (American Legion, Donna Dambuskas Iriarte, a resident of Greenbelt has choreographed routines for this group. Greenbelter Pam White is one of the teachers.

Shuttle Buses

The public is encouraged to ride free shuttle buses, which will run continuously from 11:30 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. from the Route 197 Park and Ride lot, Towne Center Shopping Center (Route 197 and Contee Roads), and Montpelier Plaza (Route 197 and Muirkirk Road). Limited free and handicapped parking is available at the mansion grounds via the Montpelier Drive entrance off Route 197.

For further information call (301) 776-2805 or (301) 445-4500 or TDD: (301) 445-4512. The deadlines for food, vending and arts and crafts applications have passed.

City Crewman Gets Disney Internship

Part-time Horticultural Crewman Pat Heaney, who just earned an Associate Degree from Prince Georges Community College has been selected for one of only 23 nationally available internships offered by Walt Disney World. In the Summer Horticultural Program Heaney will learn and get practical experience in the innovative and creative horticulture and landscaping for which Disney World is noted. It is believed that his participation will enhance Greenbelt's horticultural program upon his return.

Planning and Development Expenditures to Rise in City

by Diane Oberg

Expenditures for the department of planning and community development are scheduled to increase by 13 percent over 1993-1994 expenditures in the fiscal year 1995 budget proposed by City Manager Daniel Hobbs. Even in this budget, the effect of the community center is an important influence.

Roughly \$38,000 of the \$43,000 increase in department expenditures is for professional services. Part of this increase is for secretarial help and legal fees for when those cited for code violations appeal. However, part of the increase is to transfer responsibility for street construction and sediment control inspections to a consultant. This will free the city's Supervisory Inspector for day-to-day inspection duties on the community center project.

Other factors in the increased expenditure are upgrading of the intern's position, reflecting the Director Celia Wilson's evaluation of the quality of the duties performed, and training expenses for department staff. Even with the proposed increases, revenues from street permits and license and permit fees are expected to cover all but \$800 of departmental operating expenses.

Additional Responsibilities

Wilson would like to see the department assume two new responsibilities, neither one was funded by Hobbs in the budget. During an April 12 work session he said the city would study these proposals over the next year.

The first proposed addition is a parking enforcement officer, a position for which Wilson had requested an additional \$32,000. Although she estimates that the officer would generate \$48,000 in revenues, \$35,000 of that is already anticipated in the police budget. At the work session, Wilson argued that allowing a code enforcement officer to issue parking tickets would free up officers for "what they're paid to do."

Hobbs was concerned that officers would stop writing tickets. He expressed disappointment that ticket writing has been decreasing over the last few years. In response to council complaints about handicapped space and fire lane violations in a local shopping center, he said the city is working with the property owner and will soon be undertaking strict enforcement.

The city is also studying the possibility of assuming the responsibility for licensing burglar alarms from the county government. Wilson said that currently

Planning, Community Development Proposed FY95 Budget	
Expenditures:	
Planning	109,000
Community Development	261,800
Total	370,800
Revenues:	
Street Permits	165,000
License/Permit Fees	205,000
General City Revenue	800
Total	370,800

the county gets the annual licensing fees and any fines for excessive false alarms. However, it is the city police who must respond to those false alarms. If the city assumes the licensing responsibility it will get the fine and fee revenues. She estimated that the city would generate \$15,000 in revenues by assuming this function.

Aside from the cost of responding to these alarms, Wilson argued that excessive false alarms pose a safety hazard to city officers. She worried that officers would not take alarms seriously at locations with many false alarms. If there really were a problem at the site, that complacency could put the officers at risk.

Council member Edward Putens questioned how the city could distinguish between a false alarm and a situation where the alarm scared off the intruder. Even if the city simply follows current county procedures, assuming responsibility for licensing alarms is a matter of local control, Wilson responded.

See Insect Eating Plants in Bloom

The Clearwater Nature Center is hosting monthly open houses at the Suitland Bog Natural Area. The next one is Saturday, May 7 from 10 a.m. to noon. Come and see these unique carnivorous, insect-eating plants in bloom. Hikes will be led by a naturalist starting at 10 a.m. and 11 a.m.

For further information call 297-4575; TDD 699-2544. The Bog is located off of Suitland Parkway—one-eighth mile north of the Suitland Parkway.

Proposed FY95 City Budget

	Proposed Budget	Increase (Decrease)	Percent Change
Recreation and Parks	2,644,000	345,650	15.0
Public Safety	4,324,000	326,600	8.2
Debt Service/Reserves	1,511,800	169,448*	12.6*
Planning and Development	370,800	43,300	13.2
Public Works	1,729,100	27,600	1.6
Social Services/Misc.	321,100	500	0.2
General Government	1,215,800	-1,700	-0.1
Total	12,116,600	911,398*	8.1*

*Adjusted for accounting change

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Swim Team News

Winter Swim will end Sunday, May 1, with an intersquad time trials meet. The meet will begin with warm-ups at 6:05 a.m. and will end by 9 a.m. All winter and summer swimmers are encouraged to participate. We need the help of all parents for timing and officiating. Doughnuts and coffee will be served. Pauline Stickles will be sizing swim team suits and sweats. There will also be a clearance sale of all old sweats and tee-shirts.

The summer in "A" Division begins with the first practice Tuesday, May 31, at 6 p.m. Morning practices will begin Monday, June 20, at 6 to 7:30 a.m. for seniors and advanced swimmers and 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. for younger swimmers. The meet schedule is as follows:

June 18, GA at Greenbelt; June 25, BSR at Greenbelt; July 2, Greenbelt at TP; July 9, Greenbelt at SBP; July 16, Greenbelt at BBT; July 23, LNS at Greenbelt; July 30, Divisionals at Greenbelt; and August 6, All Stars at Cheverly.

For more information, call Jim Maher at 474-6589.

Greenwood Village

Elects New Board

At the Greenwood Village annual homeowners' meeting held on April 20, elections to the Board of Directors took place. The following is a list of Directors/Officers for the Association for the coming year:

Laurie Ann Garey, president; Elizabeth Cologer, vice president; Jim Dooley, secretary; Roy Dahl, treasurer and Warren Wilcox, director.

Board meetings are held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on the third Wednesday of the month. Owners and residents are encouraged to attend.

Genealogical Society To Meet at Library

The Prince Georges County Genealogical Society will meet Wednesday, May 4 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt public library, 11 Crescent Road. The meeting is open to the public. Visitors are welcome and there is no charge.

The speaker will be James W. Reep, genealogist, writer, and teacher of genealogy. He will discuss "Recording and Documenting Your Work," a subject of importance to both beginners and experienced genealogists.

At the Library

Drop-In Storytime for children ages 3-5 will be held at the Greenbelt Library, 11 Crescent Road, at 10:15 a.m. on Thursday, May 5. For more information, call 345-5800.

Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

The next meeting will be on May 4, and the Membership Committee will have the 1994 membership roster available for distribution. Membership chairwoman, Eleanor Gallis, wishes to thank her helpers, Ellie Rimar and Betty Sherrod for all their work on this project. For membership information one should call Gallis at 441-8838. Sometimes they even deliver applications to hopeful members. They also remind everyone to wear their name tags to the meetings. Thanks to all for a job well done!

At the April 20 meeting, Dr. Dooley from U. of Md. roused the interest of all with her informative presentation on how important diet and exercise is to everyone, and especially to seniors. I think we will hear more from her in the future.

Be sure to sign up if you want to go to the May shopping trip to Columbia Mall.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Arthritis Lecture Set

"Managing Arthritis" will be presented by Greg Thielman of the National Rehabilitation Hospital on Tuesday, May 3, at 7 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. Thielman will talk about the pain and stress of arthritis and how to cope with it. There is no charge.

Sign language interpretation and other accommodations for individuals with disabilities will be made upon request.

Information on arthritis and other health-related issues is available at all branches of the Prince Georges County Memorial Library System. Greenbelt Library's telephone number is 345-5800.

Recreation Review

Softball Leagues Start

The 1994 Softball League officially begins play the week of May 2. Games will be played at Braden and Northway Fields. Men's teams play Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays; Co-ed teams will play Wednesdays. Come and cheer for a favorite team!

City Tennis Court Use

Spring is here and tennis players are reminded to check posted rules for the city's tennis courts. Greenbelt residents have priority use of the courts.

Community First Aid & Safety

Community First Aid & Safety Class will be held May 17, 18, 19 from 7-10 p.m. at the Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center. Please call the Recreation Department Business Office for fees and registration information.

City Athletic Field Use

First priority for practice and games on City fields will be permitted to youth and city leagues. Permits are effective March 28. All other use is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Roller Skating

Roller skating will be held on Tuesday afternoons from 3-5 p.m. at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center parking lot. Skates will be provided. For more info call 345-2770.

Explore Balderdash

Ever hear the word "idiolalla" or "metallege"? Any idea what these words mean? Anyone who can make up a definition or is good at bluffing or just likes to have fun won't want to miss "Explorations Unlimited" on Friday, May 6. The program will be the game "Balderdash." This is a hilarious bluffing word game, and the words people will hear are even more unusual than the ones above. The following could be the definitions to the above words: (a) A small flute played with the nose; (b) An instrument used to comb wool from Highland sheep; (c) A play on words; (d) A second rate singer; or (e) a crazy condition in which the victim makes up his own language. Which are the correct definitions? Find out the answer during "Explorations Unlimited" on Friday, May 6.

"Explorations Unlimited" is a speaker series held every Friday from 1-3 p.m. at the Youth Center. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. For more information call 474-6878.

Get a Garden Plot

Calling all gardeners! People can start growing vegetables and flowers now. The Greenbelt Garden Club has garden plots available. There are plowed or unplowed, 25-foot x 50-foot or 50-foot x 50-foot plots. The plots are located on fields near Gardenway and the overpass or near Hamilton Place. For information call 474-8483, evening and weekends only.

New Car Raffle

On Sunday evening, June 4, at 8 p.m. Mishkan Torah synagogue will be giving away a brand new 1994 Ford Taurus GL, fully equipped; all power equipment. Raffle tickets are on sale now and only 2500 tickets will be sold. Winner need not be present to win. Proceeds will benefit the synagogue. For more information contact Murray Shapiro at 890-4128 or 474-4223.

Hands on Science

An evening of hands on science and math for parents and children will be held on Tuesday, May 3 at Greenbelt Elementary School. Students will demonstrate new strategies for learning both math and science. People will have the opportunity to use the latest technology, computer programs and laser disc materials.

The PTA will hold elections at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium, followed by activities in the science lab, the media center and the computer lab.

Greenbelt Nursery School Spring Fair

The Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten will be holding its annual Spring Fair and Silent Auction, rain or shine, on Saturday, May 7, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The day's events include a variety of children's activities including games, face painting and art projects, as well as a large multi-family yard sale. Plants and books will also be available for purchase. Food, drinks, and ice cream will be offered.

A huge silent auction will be held in which many goods and services will be available for bidding. Included in the auction are tickets for sporting and other events, dinners at local restaurants, merchandise from area stores, and much more.

The school is located at 1 Hillside Road, behind the Greenbelt Community Church. In the event of rain, the fair will be held in the church basement. For further information, call the school at 474-5570.

Fun at Goddard

Come to a model rocket launch on Sunday, May 1 at 1 p.m. at the Goddard Visitor Center. Bring a rocket or just come out and watch the other rocket enthusiasts. All launches are monitored for safety and are held weather permitting.

The Goddard Visitor Center is located at the Soil Conservation Road entrance of the Goddard Space Flight Center.

Seniors Softball

by Jerry Conway

The Greenbelt Senior Softball Players have begun this year's season with several practice games in Bowie and at Greenbelt's Braden Field. The team will begin playing in the Baltimore County Softball League on May 2, at Dundalk, Md. From then on, the team will play every Monday and Wednesday at ballparks in Greenbelt, Bowie, Dundalk, Parkville, Columbia, Catonsville and Westminster. Fifteen games will be played in Greenbelt, and 15 games will be played away.

Experienced pitchers, infield and outfield players are sought to participate in the Beltway League games and the Maryland Senior Olympics. Nine inning games are scheduled this year in the Baltimore Beltway League. If you want to play on the team of 60 years of age and older, come to Braden Field on Mondays and Wednesdays.

All Greenbelt seniors including their friends and relatives are invited to participate in softball practice, exercise and good sportsmanship on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

SPRING FAIR!

AND

SILENT AUCTION

SAT MAY 7 9-2

Featuring:
Games
Food
Face Painting
Art Projects

Crafts
50-50 Raffle
Plants Sale
Book Sale

Large Multi-Family Yard Sale

Greenbelt Nursery School & Kindergarten

1 Hillside Road
474-5570

Greenbelt Elementary School

SPRING FAIR

Saturday, April 30
10am - 3PM

Games Prizes Food Raffle Fun



1994 GREENBELT HOMES, INC.
HOUSE & GARDEN TOUR

FREE SELF GUIDED TOUR - MAPS ARE AVAILABLE DAY OF TOUR

FROM 12:00 TO 5 p.m., Sunday, May 1st.

AT THE GREENBELT MUSEUM, 10-B CRESCENT ROAD

FOR INFORMATION CALL 982-3451

Spotlight On the Arts

by Frank Pearlman

Things are really Hopping at "123 Centerway" — that's the new address of the Greenbelt Arts Center. With three productions in rehearsal at the present time — you could positively say that The Greenbelt Arts Center is alive and well.

In rehearsal and almost ready to open on May 6 is Shakespeare's "The Merry Wives of Windsor." Directed by Jim Robertson and with an all star cast — this is Shakespeare at his funniest . . . it moves rapidly, its dialogue is racy, its humor is earthy but healthy and its farcical action provides laughter and entertainment for all. Performance dates for "The Merry Wives of Windsor" are May 6 - 7 - 13 - 14 - 20 - 21 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, May 15 at 2 p.m.

For an evening of great theatre plan now to see "The Merry Wives of Windsor." For information/reservations call (301) 441-8770.

Coming Attractions:

In Rehearsal — the enchanting "Wizard of Oz" featuring our multi-talented young people. Play dates: June 4 and June 5.

In Rehearsal — "Jigsaw" a contemporary play with an all-star all female cast. Play dates: June 10-11-12, 17-18, 24-25.

Fund Raisers:

Don't miss our bigger & better "Flea Market" right outside our theatre doors on Saturday, May 21. And for an evening of Fun . . . Food . . . Prizes . . . we are all looking forward to our annual art

CFG Elect Officers

The Citizens for Greenbelt elected the following officers at a meeting on March 22: Andy Levin, president; Harriett Phelps, vice president; Christine Thomas, secretary; and Tom Stutzman, treasurer. The program featured a panel discussion on crime in Greenbelt (see separate story), with Greenbelt Mayor Toni Bram, Police Chief James Craze, and Trix Whitehall of the Public Defender's Office.

Betty Allen urged CFG members to volunteer to participate in CFG's Labor Day Festival activities.

Paint Branch Unitarian Church

(3215 Powder Mill Road)

Sun., May 1, 9:30 & 11:15 a.m.
May Day Intergenerational Service

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Church School 9:30 a.m.

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Catholic Community of Greenbelt MASS

Municipal Building, Sundays,
10:00 A.M.

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auction in early August. Watch this column for all the details!!
Your Name in Lights

We really can't promise your name in lights . . . but we can promise much enjoyment and a real sense of accomplishment . . . for those that give some of their time in making our Arts Center the pride and joy of the community. We need your help in building sets . . . working the box office . . . learning the technical side of productions . . . and helping to raise funds. Get in on the ground floor — give us a call today at 441-8770 and volunteer a little of your time and also join us and become a member.

Discover the River

Come learn about the natural and cultural history of the Patuxent River at Patuxent River Discovery Day on Saturday, May 7 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call 627-6074 for information. The event is at locations in seven counties including Patuxent River Park, 16000 Croom Airport Road, Upper Marlboro.

League Sponsors Health Care Forum

U.S. Representatives Steny Hoyer and Albert Wynn will appear at a Tuesday, May 3 health care forum sponsored by the Maryland League of Women Voters Education Fund and the Kaiser Family Foundation.

The "Citizen's Voice for Citizen's Choice" meeting will let residents of Maryland express their health care concerns to invited members of the U.S. Congress. A panel of experts on health care also will answer questions and exchange information with the public.

The Forum will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Prince Georges Community College and will be televised live by Maryland Public Television from 7 to 8 p.m.

This event is open to the public. Admission and parking are both free. Signing will be provided for the hearing impaired, and the room is wheelchair-accessible.

For more information call Joan Paik at (410) 531-2431 or (410) 269-0232.

Docent on Duty

A volunteer Bonsai expert will be available in the Bonsai and Penjing Museum to answer questions on Sunday, May 1, 15 and 29; 1-3 p.m. at the U.S. National Arboretum.

For information call (202) 475-4815.

Greenbelt Children In Suzuki Concert

Eleven Greenbelt area children will be participating in the 24th Annual Suzuki String Festival on Saturday, April 30 to Sunday, May 1. On Saturday there will be workshops at various locations. The children will participate in a concert at the DAR Constitution Hall, 18th and D Streets, NW from 2 to 4:30 p.m. In total there will be 400 young virtuosos, ranging in ages from three to 17 playing on cello violin and viola. Admission is free. Cameras and recorders are welcome.

Greenbelt area participants are: April Roberts, LaVon Schmoldt, Gabriel and Jeanne Modderman, Talia Hicks, Emily Forsyth Queen, Robin Fish, Meadow Wirick, Lisa Davenport, Madeline Bell and Danielle Johnson.

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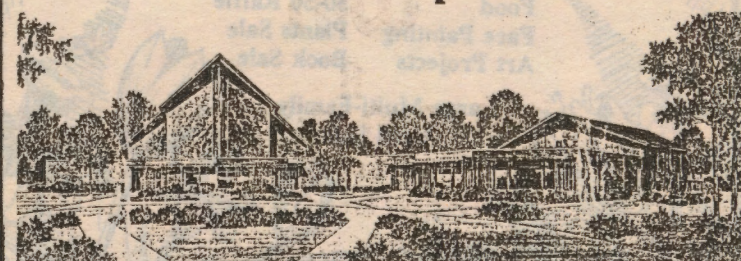
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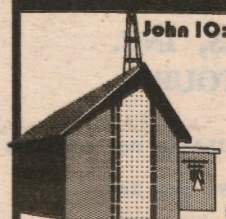


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Greenbelt Baptist Church

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Fifty Years Ago Egg Hunt Winners

by James Giese

About 300 Greenbelt children gathered in front of the swimming pool on Easter Monday to participate in the recreation department's annual Easter egg hunt. About 175 kindergartners, first and second graders swarmed onto Braden Field at 10 in the morning to search for the eggs.

Michael Cockhill of 33-S Ridge Road won a little wooden wagon drawn by a wooden bunny for gathering the most eggs. Broken eggs counted for only half, and children were forbidden to eat the eggs during the hunt.

Harriet Riley, 7, of 38-M Ridge Road found the red, white and blue prize egg, winning a large, well decorated reed basket made by the recreation department and containing a chocolate bunny. The Greenbelt Egg, a pure white egg with a large green G printed on one side was found by Lorrie Maffey. Other winners were Judy Rice, 5, Charles Derrick, 8, Janet Marion, 6, and Joan Ruback, 5.

At 1 p.m., the third, fourth and fifth graders hunted for eggs around the Athletic Clubhouse (the former Jaycee Clubhouse near Saint Hugh's Parochial School). Prizes ranged from little carts of candy to baskets, passes to the movies and cards entitling the owner to a free sundae at the drugstore. Robert Cummings, 9, won for most eggs of the hunt, Paul Reamy, 8, for most eggs in the third grade, Roland Taylor, 10, for the most eggs in the fourth grade, and Kenneth Brown, 11, for most eggs in the fifth grade.

Helena Knauer, Acting Director of Recreation and Eileen Mudd awarded the prizes.

Herb Plant Sale

Join the Potomac unit members of the Herb Society of America and FONA for their annual herb and book sale. A series of programs, cooking demonstrations and tours of the National Herb Garden will be offered. Children's activities are planned and refreshments will be available for sale on Saturday May 7 from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the U.S. National Arboretum.

SOLAR ECLIPSE MAY 10 CAN DAMAGE EYESIGHT

Doctors of optometry across Maryland are warning their patients not to look directly at the sun during the Tuesday, May 10 solar eclipse which will be visible to most of North America.

A solar eclipse occurs when the moon passes between the sun and the Earth. When the moon partly covers the sun, people mistakenly assume they can watch the eclipse unaware that rays from the parts of the sun still in view can burn the retina of the eyes and cause irreversible vision loss.

Viewing the sun directly — including viewing the various stages of an eclipse — can cause damage to the eyes that may result in vision loss and even blindness. "The best way to see the eclipse safely is not to look at it directly," says Dr. Elliott Klonsky, a private optometrist in Crofton and the president of the Maryland Optometric Association.

"Do not try to view an eclipse of the sun through smoked glass, sunglasses, photographic film, welder's goggles or photographic filters," emphasizes Dr. Klonsky. "All are unsafe. Viewing an eclipse directly through binoculars or a telescope is even worse, as they magnify and intensify the sun's rays. People can make a simple viewing device out of a box that will allow them to watch the eclipse safely.

To Build a Sunscope:

1. Fasten a piece of white paper over the inside of the small end of an oblong box, about 1' x 2' x 3'.
2. Cut a one-inch-square hole in the opposite small end and cover the hole with aluminum foil.
3. Make a pinhole in the foil.
4. Cut a hole somewhat larger than your head in the bottom of the box, so that you can slip the box over your head.
5. Seal light leaks with black tape or paper.
6. To use the "sunscope" for viewing, stand with your back to the sun, the box over your head, and look at the image projected through the pinhole onto the white paper.

To See the Eclipse Place Head in Box

by Dorothy Sucher

Folks, here comes another solar eclipse, at least according to the members of the Maryland Optometric Association, who are "warning" the citizenry about it. Supposedly it will be visible to most of North America, but don't think it's going to be anything like interesting or fun, because all the neat stuff that appeals to the caveman in us has gone the way of T-bone steaks, Ben and Jerry's Chunky Monkey ice cream, lying around watching reruns of "The Attack of the Killer Tomatoes," and everything else that makes life worthwhile. According to Dr. Elliott Klonsky, an optometrist in Crofton, eclipses are terrible for you.

Fortunately I can't get excited about eclipses any more anyway, because after lying in wait for quite a few of them over the years I've learned that they always happen on overcast days. (At least we're told they're happening—anything or nothing could be going on behind those clouds.)

But maybe you're an optimist and believe that on Tuesday, May 10, the moon will really be passing between the sun and the earth, and you might get to see it.

You have my sympathy. It's a big no no, unless you're prepared to risk what Dr. Klonsky cheerily describes as "damage to the eyes that may result in vision loss and even blindness."

This is nothing to fool around with and, kids, I'm very, very serious. Forget sunglasses, welder's goggles, photographic film, and any other bright ideas that may occur to you. Dr. Klonsky says they're not good enough. And remember, we only get one pair of eyes. (No, this is not the moment to tell me about your after-death body parts donor card.)

However, since the good doctor doesn't want to be a spoilsport, he's come up with a way to view the eclipse safely. It's simple, and I don't see why it wouldn't work. You simply stand with your back to the eclipse and stick your head in a box. Sound enjoyable? I'm perfectly serious. On May 10 all of Greenbelt can meet in the Center, if we can find our way there with boxes over our heads. Personally, I plan to stay home and watch the eclipse, or more likely the clouds, on TV.

But if you're gung-ho, directions for making your box are to be found elsewhere in this issue of the News Review. I can't bring myself to explain them to you. It sounds like a nice project for a cloudy day, but I can't drum up any excitement about it.

Two Winners Chosen At Beltway Pageant

by Rusty Beeg

Two "Miss America" preliminary crowns were awarded on April 16 at Beltway Plaza Mall to the young women who will represent Greenbelt and Prince Georges County at the "Miss Maryland" Pageant June 23-25 in Hagerstown. There they will join 26 other contestants competing for the opportunity to represent Maryland on the "Miss America" stage in Atlantic City next September.

Representing Greenbelt will be vocalist, Kathleen Harris, a junior at the University of Maryland majoring in international affairs/pre-law and minoring in journalism. A well traveled young woman who received her secondary education at the International High School in Nice, France, Kathy speaks five languages and has chosen "improving the quality of education through mentoring" as the cause she will promote during her tenure as "Miss Greenbelt America."

Prince Georges County will be represented by dancer, Melvina Ford, a law student who will graduate from the Georgetown University Law Center in May and who hopes to pass her bar exam in July. Melvina hails from Oakland, California and received an undergraduate degree from the University of California at Berkeley before moving here in 1991 to pursue her legal studies. Her temporary certification to practice law in the District of Columbia Superior Courts has entitled her to argue consumer protection and disability cases for low income clients where she chalked up her first settlement a few weeks ago with a favorable decision. Her platform as "Miss Prince Georges County" will be to advocate and participate in programs to teach children "positive strategies for dealing with societal and parental substance abuse."

First and second runners up to the Greenbelt title were gymnast, Tiffanie Varchulik, and vocalist, Michelle Wedderburn, respectively. Holding down the number two spot for Prince Georges County was vocalist, Jennifer Rzepiennik, with dancer Helen McGuire, finishing third. Awards for the highest interview scores went to Ford and Harris with Ford sharing honors for highest talent scores with Varchulik.

Beginning Birders

The Patuxent Wildlife Research Center will offer a program for Beginning Birders (ages 16 and older) on May 7 from 3-7 p.m. at the North Tract. Participants will learn the basics of birding and go on a guided walk. Pre-registration is required. Call 410-674-3304 for information.

Mistress of Ceremonies for the afternoon was "Miss Maryland 1993" Renee Cole who entertained the audience with her powerful renditions of "Memory" and "Amazing Grace." Also on hand to entertain was "Miss Greenbelt" who was chosen at Greenbelt's Labor Day Festival, Christine Patsas. She gave a fine performance of "Stuff Like That There" which helped earn her title in September. "Miss Teen Prince Georges County", Amy Augustowski, rounded out the program with three songs including Reba McIntyre's "Take it Back" and Mariah Carey's "Hero". Amy will be competing for the "Miss Teen Maryland" title in Hagerstown on June 22 as a part of the "Miss Maryland" week activities.

Lecture on Terns

The Patuxent Wildlife Research Center's North Tract Lecture series will present "Doing a Tern Good—The Conservation of Roseate Terns" on Thursday, May 5 at 7 p.m. at the Visitor Contact Station, located off Route 198 in Laurel. The lecture will highlight the work being done by National Biological Survey researchers. Call 410-674-3304 for information/directions.

Bay Bridge Walk

On Saturday, April 30, 15 state parks across the state will host "BayFests," featuring environmental activities and recreational opportunities for the entire family. Admission to all state parks participating in the BayFests is free.

Citizens can delight in the sparkling waters of the Bay with a birds-eye view of the Chesapeake Bay at the ever-popular Bay Bridge Walk, Sunday, May 1, which will mark the conclusion of the "Treasure the Chesapeake" Celebration.

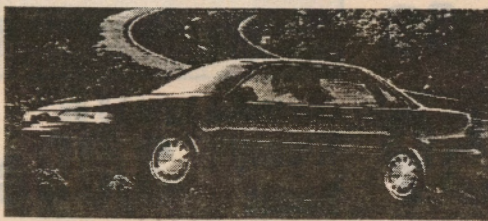
Boys & Girl Club Update on Teams

The Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club's County baseball and softball teams are continuing their pre-season practices. The rosters for the 13-year old and 14-year old baseball teams are closed, as well as the roster for the 14 and under softball team.

However, the rosters for the 16 and under baseball team and the 12 and under and 16 and under softball teams are currently still open. To register, parents call Mel Scites, the Club's registrar at: 441-8689. Rosters tend to fill up at a moment's notice.

For further information concerning county baseball, call Jeff Keir at: 552-9234. For further information concerning softball, call Dennis Lewis at: 552-9078.

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Around 5:15 p.m. on April 19, officers responded to a report of disorderly people on the front porch of a residence in the 8000 block of Greenbury Drive. A computer check showed that one of the people had an open arrest warrant and was therefore placed under arrest. His vehicle was then searched and a .357 Smith and Wesson handgun was found. Three other people had accompanied him to the residence in the vehicle, and all four were arrested and charged with transporting a handgun in a vehicle. Two of them were resident youths, aged 16 and 19; the other two were nonresidents aged 15 and 18. The 18- and 19-year-olds appeared before a District Court Commissioner and were held on \$5,000 bond pending trial. The younger ones were released to parents pending trial.

As a woman was coming home with her three-year-old son and was opening the door, a man came up behind her, brandished a dark-colored handgun, forced her inside, and demanded money. After getting money, the man handcuffed the woman to the kitchen sink and left. The little boy was not injured. The man is described as black, 20-24 years old, 5'8", 180 lbs., black hair, wearing a black and royal blue "Fila" jacket with a red emblem on the left pocket, baggy blue jeans and a black ski mask. The incident took place around 8:45 p.m. on Tuesday, April 19 in the 9000 block of Breezewood Terrace.

Around 1:15 p.m. on Thursday, April 21, officers responded to a report of assault and battery: As a man was driving east in the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road he noticed a car following him too closely, so he pulled over. The car did too. Then a man got out of the car and punched the first man in the face and drove off, possibly to Berwyn Heights. The victim was taken by ambulance to Prince Georges Hospital for chest pains. The assailant is described as white, 6', 180 lbs., brown hair, wearing a red short sleeve shirt and driving a black two-door car.

Around 2:45 a.m. on Saturday, April 16, officers responded to a report of a large group fighting around the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane. Arriving on the scene, the officers found someone suffering from a head injury and were told by witnesses that the injured person and several other people had tried to go to a party there and had been thrown out. Several partygoers had followed them out and beat the person with the head injury with blunt objects. The injured person's companions had run away. The injured person, a 13-year-old boy, was taken to Prince Georges Hospital for treatment. Investigation is continuing.

While patrolling the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road around 1 a.m. on Saturday, April 16, an officer stopped a vehicle for a safety violation and found that one of the passengers had phenylcyclidine (PCP) and cocaine. Consequently, a 29-year-old non-resident man was arrested and charged with possession of PCP and possession of cocaine. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released pending trial.

While patrolling the 5900 block of Greenbelt Road around 4:45 a.m. on Friday, April 15, an officer

stopped a vehicle for a registration violation and found PCP inside the vehicle. Consequently, a 21-year-old nonresident man was arrested and charged with possession of PCP with intent to distribute. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released pending trial.

A breaking and entering was reported at Sportsline (Greenway Center); someone had broken out the front glass door and had stolen merchandise.

Responding to a report of people tampering with vehicles in the 9100 block of Edmonston Court around 2 a.m. on Wednesday, April 20, officers found three men in the area and arrested them for malicious destruction. All nonresidents, aged 21, 21, and 19, the three men were released on citation pending trial.

While patrolling the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road around midnight, Monday, April 18, an officer stopped a vehicle for a registration violation and found

that the driver could produce neither identification nor registration information for the vehicle. The driver was issued several traffic citations, placed under arrest, and released pending trial. The vehicle was impounded and later found to have been reported stolen. Investigation is continuing.

On Sunday, April 17, a 1987 Toyota that had been reported stolen from the 8000 block of Mandan Road was recovered in

the 7700 block of Mandan Road with its vent window broken out, its ignition popped, and its stereo equipment stolen, and a 1994 Honda Accord was reported stolen from the 8000 block of Mandan Road and later recovered elsewhere.

On Thursday, April 21, a black, four-door, 1990 Cadillac Brougham was reported stolen from Capitol Cadillac, and a red, two-door, 1987 BMW 653 CSI, VA tags FIP388, was reported stolen

from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of vehicles were reported in the following areas: the 6100 block of Breezewood Court, the 6100 block of Breezewood Drive, the 7900 block of Brooks Place, the 7900 block of Kara Court, the 7900 block of Mandan Road, 1 Court Parkway, the 6100 block of Springhill Drive, and the 100 block of Westway.

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The Greenbelt Gardener

by Rosie Rhubarb

The soil and night time temperatures are warming up so that the next two weeks are the prime time for planting plants you want to enjoy this summer, such as flowers, vegetables, and herbs. You can buy plants and pop them into the soil or start them from seed. Please, prepare the soil before planting. And it is a good idea to plant before a rain storm to water them and get them off to a good start.

Zinnias, marigolds, cleome, and cosmos are easy to start from seed. Tomatoes and peppers should be planted now as plants, not started from seed. Vegetables that can be started now from seed are: carrots, turnips, parsnips, beans, cucumbers, squash, and melons. They need plenty of sun.

This past week or so we have been treated with the most beautiful part of springtime in our region: when the dogwood trees and azaleas bloom. They are easy to grow and the white or pink dogwood flowers look so good with the brightly colored azaleas.

The dogwood trees and wild light pink azaleas are blooming

in the wooded parts of our parks. The white dogwood flowers seem to float in a sea of bright, young, green leaves. Fine groves of dogwoods can be seen along Crescent Road in the lake park and north of Northway extended in the stream valley in Parcel 1.

Several other beautiful shrubs and trees are now in bloom. For great fragrance notice lilac, (most are purple or white) or viburnum (two good types are "Mohawk" and "Carlessii"). Two small trees that I think are not planted enough by gardeners are redbud and hawthorn. The purplish trees recently in bloom near city hall are redbuds. Hawthorns are welcome in the garden both for their white flowers that come as many spring flowering trees are fading and for their bright berries in the fall. Fine examples are on Parkway near the Co-op parking lot entrance and at Ridge Road and Eastway.

Wisteria lovers should go and see the biggest patch of wisteria in the city. Whole trees are covered with this beautiful vine near an old farm near Hamilton Place extended. A word to the wise, walk, don't drive down the dirt road off the end of Hamilton Place. Many are towed and few get through unscathed.

Our Neighbors

by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285

Congratulations to employees in the City's Department of Public Works who have been recognized for their efforts.

Mechanic Foreman Jim Keifline has been commended and awarded a Letter of Recognition by the Commander of the Maryland State Police Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division for achieving the highest standards of fleet maintenance during an unannounced vehicle and safety Preventive Maintenance Audit.

The Employee Incentives Committee selected Mechanic Foreman Jim Keifline and Mechanics R. L. England and Jay Leonard as Employees of the Quarter, January-March 1994, for their outstanding achievement on the State Police Preventive Maintenance Audit. The crew will be treated to lunch at a restaurant of their choice.

The Employee Incentives Committee also selected the entire Public Works Department as Employees of the Quarter, January-March 1994, for service to the citizens of Greenbelt by outstanding and selfless performance of duty during the winter snow and ice storms. A special meal will be provided during the quarterly awards luncheon cookout at the Public Works facility.

Walter and Leonie Penney of Northway are delighted to an-

nounce the arrival on Easter morning of grandson David Bernard Garber. Olga Penney Garber and Jonathan Garber are the happy parents. David joins brothers Joseph, Benjamin and Jonathan and sisters Mary and Leah. The Garber family, who live in Oregon, plan to visit Greenbelt the latter part of May.

Teresa Smithson of CARES and Bill Morris are happy parents of Benjamin Robert, a 6 lb. 8 oz. wonder, born April 7 at Anne Arundel Medical Center. Sister Kate is eagerly awaiting the chance to show Ben the ropes.

Greenbelt CARES

Molly Schuchat, Evaluation Consultant to Greenbelt CARES, has now retired from her involvement with the program. Molly visited with the Family Clinic staff on Wednesday night, and spoke with the volunteers and staff about her observations of CARES' growth and development over the past 20 years.

Barbara Zachary and Alison Edwards are two new volunteers with the Wednesday evening Family Clinic. Both are doctoral candidates at local universities. Alison studies clinical psychology at American University; Barbara is with the clinical community psychology department at the University of Maryland.

Greenbelt 7 & Under Spring Soccer News

by Jesse, Lucas, and Abby Crowley

The Greenbelt Raiders are running and kicking their way to a successful season. Games 1 and 3 were ties against Beltsville/Adelphi and Kettering. Game 2 put one in the win column, 3 to 0 against New Carrollton. George had a goal and Sam scored 2! Game 4 was a 4-0 loss to Bowie.

This season's early success is a surprise, considering only four players have played before. Coach Ed Crowley said in an interview that the defense has been awesome and that the team as a whole has shown a great deal of improvement in playing their positions. He also mentioned the great parent support that has made this another special season.

The coach has a phone tree and makes sure that someone always brings oranges for our hard working players at half-time. Mascot Lucas C. looks forward to our season-ending pizza party where trophies and certificates are awarded. Everyone has a good time.

Players include: Timmy Alcott, Nick Bender, Dan Bethke, Dante Dozier, Lauren Schreiber, Sam Crossed, Pat Hindsley, Jon Hunt, Lisa McBride, George Rencher, Michael Richardson, Andrew McLaughlin, Dain Scheibel, Matt Weyel, Josh Watson, and Jesse Crowley.

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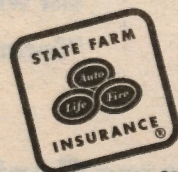
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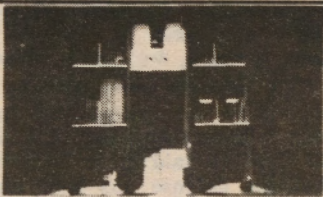


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MOVING SALE: Sat., 9-noon. Sofa, antique cabinet, weights and bench, kitchenware, children's items and misc. household goods, Hanover Pkwy. to Greenbrook Dr. to 7901 Winterwood Pl. Everything must go!

MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE: 8 Court Southway Rd., Sat., April 30, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Infant/children's clothing, toys, jewelry, household items, misc.

MOVING SALE: Downsizing to Condo and have lots to sell. Weber gas grill, NordicTrack, pictures, picture frames, books, oak end table, oak secretary, small appliances, microwave stand, Scan television stand, Scan coffee table w/slate top, suitcases, dishes, baskets, lawn mower, wheelbarrow, collector's plates, and more. Everything is in good condition; much is next-to-new. 10 a.m. Saturday, April 30, 7112 Mathew St., Greenbelt. 301-345-2712.

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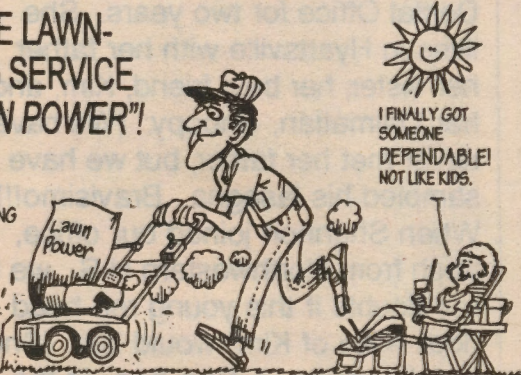
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Fifty Years Ago Scouts Get 21 Shots Each for Fox Trophy

by James Giese

March, 1944—Members of the Silver Fox patrol of Troop 202 of the Boy Scouts found a dead fox in the woods behind "A" block. Cold weather had prevented deterioration of the carcass and the Scouts decided to re-

move the pelt and tan it. The Scouts planned to write the names of all the Silver Fox patrol members on the skin side and carry it with them to all Scout meetings.

This find was reported in the March 5 **Greenbelt Cooperator**. The next day Alvin Hutzinger of 8 Southway was bitten by a dog. Officer Johnny Belton killed the dog on the following day on Glendale Road. The dog was determined to be rabid and

Hutzinger had to undergo the Pasteur treatment. On that same day, four boys brought to the police station a dead fox, which the University of Maryland laboratory found to be rabid.

Belton then became concerned about the dead fox that the Silver Fox Patrol had skinned and tanned. It, too, might have been rabid. The pelt was taken for examination but found to be too decomposed for a definite test to be made. To be on the safe side, the ten Scouts who handled the dead fox and its pelt underwent the Pasteur treatment for the prevention of hydrophobia, a process involving inoculation 21 times with vaccine.

One of the Scouts, Joe Loftus, suffered further. Just after recovering from the Pasteur treatment, Joe was bitten in the leg by a dog as he bicycled home from the Holy Redeemer School in Berwyn. Fortunately, the dog was not rabid.

High-Tech Dairy Barn Dedicated at BARC

U.S. Representative Steny Hoyer was among a group including U.S. Department of Agriculture officials and scientists, who were introduced to the non-polluting, neighbor-friendly dairy barn of the future. They gathered to dedicate a new dairy research facility at the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC) on Monday, April 25. At the dairy barn, a new commercially-made digester turns manure into an almost odor-free material useful as a soil amendment or fertilizer suitable for farms, gardens and landscaping, according to K. Darwin Murrell, director of BARC.

Such uses are designed to eliminate ground water pollution from raw manure and liquid waste run-off, Murrell said. After processing, the manure will be held in a 1.3 million gallon storage tank until it is used on the research center's cropland. "We will be recycling this farm resource as a practice in sustainable agriculture," Murrell said.

City Notes

During the week ending April 22, the Greenbelt Public Works Department has constructed a handicap accessible entry to the Public Works facility in conformance with requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Material was received to do a handicap path to the toilets at Buddy Attick Park.

A large collapsed area of pavement on Cherrywood Lane near Greenbelt Road has been repaired. In other street maintenance activities, repairs were done to the shoulders of Crescent Road with crushed stone being added to fill the ruts, and ruts and depressions in the road leading to the Northway ballfields were also filled with the stone. Pot holes in various locations were patched and curbs in Greenbelt East were painted yellow in No-parking areas. Also, white pavement lines were painted in various locations.

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Employee of the Week

Shannon Comer

Shannon has worked as a dental assistant at the McCarl Family Dental Office for two years. She lives in Hyattsville with her father, her sister, her best friend, Kim, and her Dalmatian, Snoopy. (We have never met her father, but we have sampled his lasagna...Bravisimo!!!) When Shannon joined our office, fresh from Northwestern H.S., we had our doubts if this young red-head "look-alike of Kim" would last. (She was awfully young...) She has. In the process, she has continued her studies at PGCC and matured into a top notch employee. Her enthusiasm for her work (& shopping) is contagious.

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